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CONCENTRATES WORTH $2200 TON AT THE NEOCENE

Concentrates showing values in excess of $2200 per ton taken from the mill run of the Neocene Consolidated are on display in the windows of The Nugget and are creating no little amount of interest. They show an actual alloy of copper and gold which is said to be quite unusual, also gray copper, prominent traces of titanium zirconium in crystals, palladium and platinum.

The presence of the copper in the gravels makes ordinary amalgamation practically impossible and special amalgamation methods quite difficult. By installing a rock crusher and concentrator the plant of the Neocene Consolidated can be made a real dividend payer. The metallurgical process involved in the handling of the Neocene gravel is quite interesting and has been scientifically studied out by C. A. Ackerman superintendent at the plant. Mr. Ackerman is a metallurgist of considerable prominence on the coast and his preliminary studies with the Neocene where he has been in a consulting capacity for some weeks past leads him to believe that with proper methods the operations at the Neocene offer much promise as soon as proper facilities are installed.

The plant has been operating with an Ellis ball mill and has been handling a large tonnage but with the main values lying in the concentrates a great deal of values have been lost heretofore.

Mr. Ackerman has been making a study of the geology of the property and finds that it shows formations of the cretaceous, jurassic eocene and neocene periods. He maintains that what many have been calling bedrock is a granidiorite or a fallen hanging wall. Where white, blue or purple clay occur, the concentrates will run $1500 to $2000 per ton and the gold from such conentrates will run .990 to .999 fine. The ratio of concentrates to tonnage at present shows about 1 in 10 where there is clay present.

PROMINENT ENGINEER HERE

J. T. Whittlesey of Berkeley, prominent mining engineer, was here on professional business last week. He has been checking up on a mining deal in this section where a friend of his, owner of mining claims, had given a three year option to a promoter and trouble has arisen in securing the return of the property. Whittlesey stated that if owners of mining property would be careful in having experts prepare the necessary papers in bonding and leasing their property that much trouble could be avoided.

A TREAT FOR THE KIDDIES

Frank Merrill who played the part of Tarzan in the recent serial at th Nevada Theater,, will appear in person at the theater in a special show on Thursday night. The picture is to be "The Fighting Doctor" and Mr. Merrill will put on a skit of his own. Manager Tamblyn is happy over securing Merrill as he was very popular with the juveniles.

JERRY HULSEMAN PASSES

Jerry Hulseman father of Mrs. Otis Hardt, passed away Thursday as the result of an attack of heart failure t the Crispin home in Grass Valley. He was native of Germany and was nearly 70 years of age. He had but recently returned from a visit at Red Bluff. He had appeared to be in good health that day.

CITY TAX RATE FIXED

The Nevada City tax rate has been fixed at $1.90 divided as follows: General 19c, swimming pool 19c fire fund 20c, library fund 20c sewer fund 11c street fund 76c, and water fund 25c. This makes a total rate the same as last year. Taxes will shortly be due and payable and will be delinquent in October.

The Oakland school at Gold Flat will open next Monday for the fall term. Miss Ruth Hogan and O. B. Lake will be in charge.

Henry Ponti of Downieville was in Nevada City recently.

MINING LOCATIONS ARE PLACED COUNTY RECORD

The following mining location was filed for record the past week—

Hexagon placer claim by W. Darrell Coughlan in Canada Hill Mining District in Sec. 18 T16N R9E.

IRRIGATION DISTRICT WITHDRAWS APPLICATION

The following official communication has been received from the California Debris commission. "This office wrote you on August 12, 1929, inclosing a circular anouncing that:

"The California Debris Commission will hold a public hearing at 10:00 a. m. August 23, 1929, in Room 728 Wells Fargo Bldg., San Francisco,, California to receive protests against granting the application of the Nevada Irrigation District, to use its Deer Creek diversion dam located on Deer Creek near Scott's Flat, and its Van Giesen diverion dam located on Bear river near the Combie crossing for storage of hydraulic mine debris tailings. The Nevada Irrigation District proposes to sell debris storage pace to such hydraulic mines in the drainage areas above the dams, as desire to purchase it".

This Commission has just received notice from the Nevada Irrigation District that it withdraws its application. It therefore appears that it will not be necessary for the California Debris Commission to take action in the matter.

BLUE POINT MINE IS BEING REOPENED NOW

The Blue Point mine near Smartville is being reopened again under the superintendency of A. G. Wheaton. Considerable development work is projected for the property.

SCHOOLS OPEN TODAY FOR THE FALL TERM

Both the high and grammar schools in Nevada City open today for the fall term and prospects are for a large attendance in both shools. Principal B. F. Wilson, who has been principal of the Kelseyville high school in Lake county will be at the helm of the high school and will have the same teaching staff as last year with the exception of Miss Mabel Main, who succeeds Miss Agnes Hoffman, as teacher of English.

Walter Carlson, as principal of the Washington grammar school has been busy the past few days getting things ready for the starting of his institution. The same staff will be in attendance. Principal Carlson held office hours last week to expedite the registry of new students.

MASONS VISIT AUBURN

A large number of Nevada county Masons were in Auburn Wednesday to attend the district meeting in honor of the official visit of the Most Worshipful Grand Master Gustav A. Hutaff of Dunsmuir. The local delegation was headed by Past Grand Master George L. Jones. Inspector, Gilbert J. Davis; and Worshipful Master John W. Darke. Others from here in attendance were William E. Meservey, Joseph schools. Principal B. F. Wilson, who and L. W. Jennings.

MONUMENT DEDICATION

The dedication of the Pelton Monument will be held Saturday afternoon, August 31st., at four o'clock, and we take this opportunity to invite the people of Nevada County to be present, and participate with us in perpetuating the memory of this early Californian Pioneer, who gave so much to the world in his invention.

Acton M. Cleveland,
Frank M. Groves,
Julius E. Pauly.

A quartet of lion kittens was displayed several days last week in the Odd Fellows building at ten cents per peek. They will be taken to the state fair.

IDAHO STRIKE IS CONTINUING FINE SAYS MACBOYLE

The recent strike of specimen ore on the 1500 level in the Idaho Maryland shows some of the finest and heaviest rock yet taken from this famous old producer. Drifting on the vein in several places on that level is continuing and the strike is holding up in fine shape. The strike appears to be an upper continuation of the rich shoot in the Morehouse vein worked on the 2000 level.

Bids are now being sought by the company for additional milling equipment to be installed on the Idaho. Manager MacBoyle stated Saturday that there is so much milling ore blocked out in the west end of the property that it looks to be the most economical method of milling rather than trying to centralize surface operations later at the Brunswick property.

The Idaho 20 stamp mill has been running steadily on excellent roe from the development operations and with the rehabilitation of the shaft makes it possible to handle a large tonnage of ore for an increased milling capacity which may run to 40 or 60 stamps. Ball milling is also being considered.

EXTENSIONS POWER LINES FINE FOR THE INDUSTRY

Construction of the new power lines in Downieville and the Spanish mining group are now under way by the Pacific Gas and Electric Company and the work will be rushed to early completion so as to be in service before the winter storms set in. Three crews are now engage din the work.

The Downieville work involves the building of three miles of line from the present terminus at the Wisconsin mine and will give the Sierra county metropolis its first taste of 24 hour continuous dependable service. The old York plant has sufficed for lighting needs in the town for a number of years but has been hopelessly inadequate to provide for day time needs or power for the nearby mines.

The Alleghany extension to the Spanish group will open up the famous East Belt of the county and provide dependable power for many properties now lying idle. The Twin Sister group have contracted for power and are now building a branch line to connect with the main line. This promising property has been greatly held back in its development by lack of sufficient power and with ample power it is expected that this property will shortly be in the producing class. L. L. Poates who has adjoining properties is expecting to make use of the new power supply. With the logical extension of the power line from the Spanish group southward to Deer Creek or Lake Spaulding to form a loop line, many properties around Washingtou and the South Yuba will me enabled to hook up and get under way again.

POWER LINE REBUILT

The power line between Grass Valley and the Pittsburg mine has been rebuilt during the past few weeks and is now in operation. The power was cut off in Nevada City Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons while the cutover was being made. But little inconvenience was caused as Manager Dan Stewart had caused sufficient notice to be given in the papers. The construction crews have been moved to the Downieville and Alleghany sections where extensive construction is to be undertaken.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elliott are home from a three week's vacation in Washington and Oregon. They visited relatives in Seattle and Miss Charlotte Elliott returned with them for a visit.

Mrs. A. C. Larsen and daughter, Geraldine, are home from a visit in San Jose with the fomer's sister, Mrs. W. J. Charles.

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HOME COMING IS PLANNED FOR SAN JUAN RIDGE

The San Juan Ridge is planning for a big home coming on Sunday and Monday, September 8th and 9th and the former residents of the Ridge are given a hearty invitation to come up to the old familiar scenes and renew the days of old, once more The weekend holiday can well be used to make the trip. With a paved highway to Nevada City and the state highway to North San Juan practically a boulevard with its oiling the past summer, road conditions are excellent at this time of year. The French Corral and North San Juan people have been giving the plan quite a bit of study and the latchstring is out for the occasion.

The committee in charge has listed all the addresses off ormer residents that it could get and is having this issue of The Nugget sene out to all such to advise them that they are expected to answer to roll call that day.

If you intend coming up at that time please write and let any of the Ridge people know you will be on hand. Further information next week.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NAMES MINE DELEGATES

President R. J. Bennetts as president of the Chamber of Commerce has named Arthur W. Hoge and A. A. Willoughby as delegates to represent the Chamber at the organization meeting of the state mining association to be held at Sacramento on September 4th under the auspices of the Sacramento Chamber of Commerce. Hoge as one of the leading mining men of the district was an excellent choice. Willoughby has been one of the original sponsors of the state organization in conjunction with the Sacramento boost body. Congressman H. L. Engelbright is scheduled for an address at the meeting.

ALLEGHANY WONDER IS MADE READY FOR WORK

With the Wonder group of claims at Alleghany being surveyed at present by George and Ross F. Taylor plans are for reopening the property at an early date. The 900 foot tunnel is being cleaned out preparatory to extending it to cut into rich quartz exposed on the surface. The property is being developed by the Sierra Consolidated Mining Company.

WALSH GARAGE BURNS AT SMARTVILLE FRIDAY

SMARTVILLE, August 24 (Special to The Nugget)—The garage of W. P. Walsh was burned here last night. A couple of boys who were stranded for gas stopped to ask for some. In filling a can in the garage it ignited in some manner and set fire to the building. Two autos in the building were saved.

The Smartville fire department which responded was able to keep th eflames from spreading to the other buildings.

ANOTHER AUDIT BEING MADE DISTRICT BOOKS

Another audit is now being made of the irrigation district books, the previous ones not providing sufficient information it is reported. Various audits have been made, none of them however going beyond the routine checking up to see whether warrants were issued for numerous cash expended on sundry and divers items. As to what the new audit will show remains to be seen.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Nickerson of Sacramento are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Treglown.

Ignition Parts and Accesories at Miner's Foundry. 24tf

AERIAL TRAM FOR THE NORTH STAR & EMPIRE

The aerial tram which has been used at the Mason Valley mines near Mina, Nevada, is being dismantled and it to be installed to operate between the Central shaft of the North Star and the Empire mill, according to reports. The tram line is 6000 feet in length. The Newmont interests have been using trucks to transport the ore to the Empire mill from the North Star but this has not proven satisfactory. The company expects to do its milling at the Empire plant entirely.

TABER MINE IS BEING OPENED AT PRESENT

A small crew of men is engaged in reopening the old Taber mine at Gibsonville and putting the surface plant in readiness for extensive development this fall. The track in the 3000 foot tunnel is being relayed and an incline will be sunk to get into the pay channel. The property has shown good values in the past but owing to the difficulty of getting the gravel out the mine has not been worked for some years. The channel is said to be 1200 feet wide with a pay streak of 100 feet.

The property is held under bond by the Taber Development Company from Hal P. Taber, son of the original locator, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Spencer.

ROYAL ARCH MASONS PLAN SEVERAL EVENTS

The next Masonic event of importance in this section will be on Wednesday night when Grass Valley Royal Arch Chapter officers will confer the Mark Master degree on five candidates from Roseville Chapter. The work will be conferred in the local Temple owing to the Grass Valley lodge room being rebuilt at the present time.

The official visitation of Grand High Priest Angus L. Cavanagh to this district will take place on Saturday night, September 21st when Delta Chapter of Auburn will be host on that occasion. The crack degree team of California Chapter No. 5 of San Francisco will confer the Royal Arch degree that evening on a team of candidates of Roseville Chapter. It will be the first time in this district that the beautiful colored lantern slides will be used in illustrating the work and are sure to create a great deal of interest. Practically all of the Grand Officers have expressed their intention of being present on that occasion. Early dinner at 7 o'clock will be served prior to the ceremonies.

On Sunday following a buck venison stew is being arranged at Uncle Tom's Cabin by Grass Valley Chapter with Nevada Chapter co operating. It will be in the nature of a family picnic at noon and all Royal Arch Masons and their families are welcome to attend. Frank Davies has agreed to furnish a fine fat buck for the occasion.

DUDLEY GETS NEW ROAD EQUIPMENT DISTRICT

E. Brownie Dudley, popular supervisor of the third district, has received the past week a portable compressor, rock crusher and macrine drills and they will first be used in improving the county road from Junction House to Washington. Last year the supervisors arranged for a right of way through the Fowler property and the road has been rerouted over this to eliminate a bad piece of highway. Supervisor Dudley is to be complimented for the splendid way in which he has kept up the roads in his district.

A small cabin on Deer Creek near the Pine street bridge caught fire from a hot kitchen flue Saturday and brought the fire department out on an early morning call. The roof was badly gutted but the flames were prevented from spreading to nearby structures.

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ERNST IS KILLED PLANT WRECKED BY FRIDAY BLAST

A terrible accident in which General Manager F. C. Ernst lost his life and the new refinery of the California Timber Products Incorporated lies in ruins, is the result of an explosion which set fire to the plant at the time. Ernst behind the Friday afternoon. The large supply of raw pine gum which was stored preparatory to being worked up into turpentine and resin fed fuel to the flames which leaped high into the air and soon reduced the plant to wreckage.

Three men were working in the plant at the time, ernst behind the boiler was the nearest to the point of explosion and his pitch covered clothes made him a flaming torch almost intantly and on running into the open he was seized by the other employes who smothered the flames with a ack and dirt as speedily as they could. He was rushed to the Nevada City Sanitarium where Dr. Tickell was summoned but he passed away a short time afterwards. conscious almost to the last and suffering intense pain. Martin Royce, the engineer, was tending the two boilers at the time and had presence of mind to turn off the oil burners and so soon was the building afire that he had to fight his way through flames to reach outdoors. Walter Scadden, who was also inside the building at the time, fortunately escaped. M. L. Edminster, who had just brought in a load of fresh gum and Millard Hurst, helper, were at the plant at the time. None of them were injured.

The plant was being tested out for some days and it was to have been put into operation Saturday on regular schedule. Numerous leaks had developed during the testing of the lines and these were repaired as they appeared. It is thought that a leak in one of the pipes was responsible for the explosion. There were more than 20 tons of raw gum at the plant ready for refining and this is a total loss. The premium rating of the plant for insurance had been made but the day before by representatives of the Fire Underwriters on policies issued by E. J. N. Ott.

As soon as the alarm came in the fire truck rushed for the scene and with the aid of the pumper on the small truck water was soon pouring on the flames and brought them under control after a hard fight. The Forest Service pumper had two streams playing on the blaze. The office was saved and the fire prevented from spreading to the surrounding timber.

The company had been operating in this section for several years past and has a large acreage under contrat for tapping. The plant and the operations had been entirely under the supervision of Mr. Ernst, who was an expert chemist. The plant being installed was brought here from Germany and was the first of its kind in the United States. Tests made of the gum showed that it produced resin far clearer than the regular United States standard.

Representatives of the company were at the site Saturday but had no statements to make regarding future operation. To find some one to replace Mr. Ernst would be the main obstacle as competent men are scarce. The company has some $50,000 already invested in its operations here and it is considered likely that some plan of operation will be considered as operations can be made highly successful.

Mrs. Ernst and daughter who had recently returned to Berkeley were summoned by phone, but reached here too late to see their husband and father alive. They have the sincere deepfelt sympathy of the entire community in the affliction as Mr. Ernst during his short stay here had won many friends by his quiet unasuming manner.

Tom Mooney, prominent resident of the Smartville section, was a Nevada City visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Hartman of Ellensburg, Washington, are the guests of Willia mGenasci for several weeks.

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COZY CORNER CHAT

WITH THE APPOINTMENT of a new manager, the Nevada Irrigation District enters its fourth phase of activity which will doubtless determine its future life for all time. William Durbrow, who has had previous experience in the handling of irrigation district matters is the first manager to have any experience in such business. Fred M. Miller, who was the second at the post handled a hard situation in acceptable fashion but he has willingly stepped aside so that fuller experience can take over the helm and endeavor to steer the ship into a safe harbor. The first flush of enthusiasm of the farmers is all over, the money has been spent in various directions, no doubt quite a bit foolishly, and now some one has to pay the piper. It is a trying situation in which to place a new man and expect him to accomplish a miracle with extremely limited funds and a land tax imminent. Mr. Durbrow was formerly in charge of the Glenn-Colusa District and is said to be a landowner of the Willows section. He will, doubtless have a sympathetic attitude toward the farmers whose land is in pawn to guarantee the payment of the semi-annual bond interest as well as the enormous amount of bonds outstanding which will start coming due in the next few years, than the floater promoters, here today and gone tomorrow. The promoter is always eager to picture the land of milk and honey which he can metamorphose from sagebrush and rocks with a wave of his magic wand, always of course with some one else's money, darned seldom with any of his own which he is careful to keep where he can put his hands on it readily when he wants to pack up for fresh pastures. Mr. Durbrow will have a free hand it is hoped, to work out the troubles of the district and see them through to a successful conclusion.

THE PROPOSED state mining association has much to commend the idea. The only thing to put it over is to cement the industry solidly behind the idea. If the mining men of Nevada county do not support it wholeheartedly from the outset they are but handicapping themselves in the conduct of their business. Heretofore there has had to be too much individual effort with the result that much of it was wasted. This was but too evident in the recent placer mining fight in the state legislature. A strong association to have backed up the plea of the placer miners would have had strong weight against the antagonism of the valley farmers and the Sutter county politicians who have fattened these many years keeping that antagonism alive for their own interests. The legislators who wish to help us out get but little help in return from the miners and many more would rally to our cause if we could be of some assistance in their own districts when election time rolls around. We cannot reasonably ask others to help us if we are not willing to help ourelves. Jerry Seawell was a tower of strength in our behalf, standing out head and shoulders in his initial legislative experience. A mining association back of his efforts and we will see prosperity in our hills once more.

THE NEW COUNTY budget is now at the county clerk's office for distribution and should be given a careful reading by every tax payer, interested in knowing where his tax moneys go. The segregation of items as required by law to be printed before the rate is finally set is a valuable feature as it discloses the division of funds proposed to be expended. In it will be noted that the supervisors have provided the advertising fund with the customary $2000 appropriation for the coming year. Half of this will be used on the state fair exhibit in connection with the pecial $1500 appropriation. The supervisors have always shown a friendly spirit toward worth-while publicity enterprises and their work in connection with financing an ample exhibit at the big fair next week, shows them to be generous with any plan which has proven efficacious in putting this county forward. AAW

Manning Miller was a business visitor in San Francisco recently.

FRENCH CORRAL ITEMS

FRENCH CORRAL, Aub. 24, (Special to The Nugget)—Well, this has been a strenous and exciting week for fire fighters. Beginning in French Corral about noon last Friday, toward evening the fire warden was called to Hess's Point a palce near Sn Juan, nd next day to a point near Columbia Hill where a terrible forest fire raged for nearly three days, burning over 3000 acres. Next to Grizzly Canyon, and above Pike City. Wednesday evening a call came for men to go to the Salmon mine, near Tyler and yesterday, (Thursday) a fire broke out back of the O'Conner place in Birchville and the warden and his men were called to that place. The fire ranges up toward Sweetland but last evening was reported pretty well under control. As a strong wind was blowing all night. We are afraid of bad news this morning but our fire warden seems to be equal to his task and very efficient in his work and we know he has some pretty able fire fighters from this place. So we will hope to hear the fire is still under control. It is a calamity to see our beautiful woods destroyed by fire, but perhaps it is just as well to have fire destroy our pine forests as the pine beetle. Too bad some one like our fire warden can not work in that line, and exterminate the "bug". Mrs. Kirkwood lost 100 new cedar posts nd W. E. Moulton lost 200 cedar posts, also a truck and two wgons that were stored in the barn.

The temperature has dropped and last night was really cold.

People in French Corral havenot botten over the excitement last Friday, for we certainly thought our little town was doomed. Men, women and children fought heroically, and with the wind changing a little the fire was carried away from the main part of the town. But it got into the woods, and no telling where it would have ended had it not been for the help of the fire warden. It originated in a rubbish pile below the Fred Smith place. As there were glass bottles in the rubbish it i thought the sun's rays focused in a manner to start the blaze. It spread rapidly in the dry grass and fences, chicken and wood houses were burned and it swept up through what i known as the Company's Place, burning the dwelling house, an old land mark, and a big barn. It crossed the road and burned a barn at the old Madden place, which now belongs to A. Browning. The barn was full of hay and is a big loss to Mr. Browning. Mr. Browning has gone through two fires in the last four years, both times the house and contents was entirely destroyed. From that point it ranged up over the hill and places on the Flat were in danger, but they got it under control when above the Chas. French place. They had to work hard to save the houses near the Smith place, and the house ownde by Mrs. J. Kirkwood caught fire several times, and the wod shed and porch were badly burned. It is a pity to have this fire take place now when we expect many visitors to hte old home place on the 8th and 9th when we eepvct to have a big time at a reun... of the old Ridgites.

W. P. Clerkin and Harry Browning came down from Pike City Friday morning, just came in handy for fire fighting.

Ed Fournierof Downieville was an early caller Saturday a. m.

Misses Frances and Louise Moulton made a trip to North Bloomfield Saturday. Miss Louise will soon reume her school duties at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Huntley and Mrs. Huntley's sister, Miss Anna May Hoffman were Saturday visitors from Sacramento. Their hearts were sad to see their old home in ashes. Their parents lived in the Company's place during ll their early life and all their children were born there.

Mrs. E. De Prati returned from Nevada City Saturday, where she has been visiting for the past week.

Mrs. K. Broyles and her daughter Mr. A. Labour, and children of Sacramento were Sunday visitors.

Mrs. Earl Chatty of San Francisco, with her two little sons, Jack and Billy, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Culver of French Corral.

Miss Millie Clerkin came down from Pike City Tuesday. She was accompanied by her friend, Mrs. Oslin, of Freeman's Cressing.

Miss Clerkin is now as much at ease in her runabout as she used to be on her spirited pony.

Miss Louise Moulton made a trip to Nevada City and Grass Valley Wednesday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Laura Hardenbrook and her daughter, Mabel.

W. P. Clerkin and Harry Browning went to Pike City Wednesday forenoon.

Ernest Collins and Clyde Browning when not fighting fire have been busy for the past week gravelling the road below French Corral.

Clyde Browning made a trip to Nevada City Wednesday evening.

Freddie Browning of Nevada City os visiting his cousins at this place

Messrs. McGan and Brandt, who are working on the river had business in French Corral yesterday.

J. Reed, who has been employed in French Corral for the past two weeks left Thursday afternoon on a prospecting tour.

M. O'Conner of Birchville made a trip to Nevada City yesterday to meet his sister, Miss Katherine O'Coner, and brother, Frank, who have been to Sacramento on a visit.

The French Corral school opens Monday, August 26th, with Mrs. Elsie Schwartz for teacher.

Th eBirchville school also resumes on that date with Miss Elsa Paulson of San Francico, for teacher.

Sweetland school resumes August 26th with Miss Urula Reader teacher.

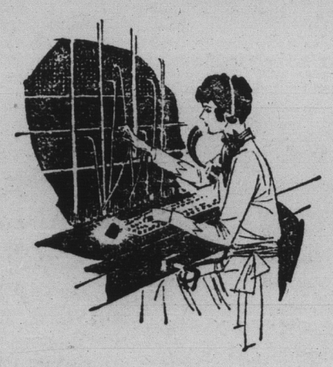
We learn that Miss Carmel Reader who taught at Sweetland last term will teach at Floriston this year.

Miss Theresa O'Cnooer of Birchville will resume her duties at Pleasant Valley Monday.

We are looking forward to a gala time for September 8th and 9th. At this time a large delegation of former "Ridgites" are expected from San Francisco and the S. J. R. W. A. will have a picnic and camp stew on the old Taber ranch and will use every effort to make the occasion a happy reunion. Come one! ome all! Will give more in detail next issue. Would like to give this affair a good writeup, but think that had better be left to someone more capable.

We were pleased to read in last week's Nugget a letter from an exresident of French Corral—Lee Darneal of Los Gatos. We know Lee very well, and we know too, that altho his residence is now far distant, the heart of his boyhood will ever remain in the dear old home place of French Corral.

Mrs. M. J. Treglown of San Francisco visited relatives in this city.



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Leave Grass Valley	7:55 A. M.,	11:55 A. M.,	3:45 P. M.
Arrive Sacramento	10:40 A. M.,	2:40 P. M.,	6:30 P. M.
Arrive San Francisco	2:15 P. M.,	5:55 P. M.,	11:15 P. M.
EAST BOUND			
Leave San Francisco		7:40 A. M.,	11:20 A. M.
Leave Sacramento	8:00 A. M.,	12:15 P. M.,	3:00 P. M.
Arrive Grass Valley	10:45 A. M.,	3:00 P. M.,	5:45 P. M.
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CAMPTONVILLE, August 24—The Pelton monument is finished, the forms are being taken down, everything being touched up and in shape for the dedication ceremony Saturday. The monument stands eleven feet in the air, and is 10X10 feet at the base, its building consumed 6000 pounds of cement a ton of iron, ten yards of gravel and a large quantity of foundation rock. The weight all in all is over 39,500 pounds. The large bronze tablet, weighing over 90 pounds is placed in the front of the column, the small bronze wheel above it, and the 14 inch old type Pelton wheel at the top.

A platform is being erected at the front from which the ceremony will be held. The Grand Lodge of Masons of California,, will be convened at three o'clock at the local Masonic hall by Past Grand Master George L. Jones of Nevada City, and will then proceed to the monument to conduct the ceremony. Judge Edward W. Engs of Sierra county will deliver the oration. Musical numbers wil also be given.

The committee in charge is issuing an invitation to the neighboring counties and towns to be present and participate in this event the ceremony being for the public. Arrangements have been completed for the Pathe and Universal News Reel photographers to be present for the movies. Along with this they are taking some of the huge Pelton wheels which are running power plants to be shown with the ceremony and the first Pelton wheel. The first Pelton wheel which is owned by the Groves family will be put on display the day of the ceremony as well as a large photograph of the pioneer inventor.

Following the ceremony at night, a big benefit dance will be held, dancing until daylight, with a big midnight supper. A fine orchestra from Marysville, with lots of pep and putting forth the latest and best in dance music has been obtained. A fine supper will be served and everyone is guaranteed a good time.

Two of the worst forest fires of the season broke out Monday noon near Lohmans Ranch and Pike City, about a mile apart. The local department got right on the job and within the afternoon a large crew in the neighborhood of seventy five men were on the scene battling the flames. The crew of the Oak Valley Lumber Company was called into service as well as all idle men in the locality. The fire was in a thick wooded section and with a stiff breeze made fighting it quite difficult. The fire was put under control Monday night, and partly got away again by the wind on Tuesday but was again controlled. George Butz had the misfortune of cutting his foot with an axe quite badly and had to return.

A second forest fire broke out Sunday at Sandusky Crek near Forest City, but was soon put under control by the local department.

B. F. McNaught and Seymore Smith of the Halkyard mine, returned Saturday from a brief business visit to the south.

Eugene H. Hays made a trip to Marysville Friday taking the mail through on account of the lower stage breaking down.

The first forest fire of the season in this ditrict broke out Sunday afternoon at Monshine and was quickly put under control under the direction of District Ranger Frank W. Meggers.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Strandberg of Oakland are vacationing at the Dietrich Ranch near town.

Mrs. R. A. Ramm left Friday for her home at San Francisco after spending the summer at her old home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Joubert left Sunday for Berkeley after spending a few weeks visiting relatives.

Misses Lucille Fogarty Evelyn Kessler and Helen McCullough and Wayne Hunter were in town Friday visiting friends.

Carl I. Wheat attorney at law of San Francisco, accompanied by a party of friends spent the week end here looking up some pioneer historical facts.

Miss Juanita Wright, who has been visiting Miss Lesta H. Joubert at Oak Valley left Sunday for her home in Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard L. Bishop and Frank P. Godfrey motored to Nevada City Saturday.

Miss Virginia Ramm arrived a few days ago from the bay district on a short viit here with relatives. Miss Henrietta Ramm, who spent her summer vacation here returned

MINING PERSONALS

George Costa, who has been doing development work at the Oakland mine north of Sierra City returned to Downieville.

Adam Kieffer came down from the Gibraltar mine to Downieville owing to an attack of tonsilitis.

J. H. Schofield of Downieville has taken the foremanship of the La Porte mines near Gibsonville.

President A. O. Witte, of the Grass Valley-Boreham Gold Mining company, came up from Los Angeles and is at the mill at Town Talk while the mill operates on a test run of ore, which has been taken from the mine recently.

Mrs. Richard Phelan, who holds large mining properties in the Sierra City district, was a business visitor in Nevada City Friday.

Joe Bernard came down from the Brush Creek mine for a short visit with his family in Nevada City.

Mark and Henry Paine of the Paine Bros. mine near Lake City, were business visitors in Nevada City during last week.

Miss Eria Davidson of Richmond visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Davidson for a few days recently.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Coughlan have as visitors their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence King, and son Jimmy of San Francisco.

M. T. Ayer, publisher of The Mountain Messenger was in Nevada City early last week.

Leonard A. Varden, employee of the Forest Service at Big Bend, was a business visitor in Nevada City last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Breese had as a visitor their daughter, Mrs. W. Ray of San Francisco.

Mr. and Clyde Cole and little son of Washington were in Nevada City during last week.

Mrs. M. P. Fischer passed through town Friday from Goodyears Bar enroute to Nevada City.

Fred J. Joubert motored t oNevada City Thursday.

Tom Baldwin arrived Thursday from Modesto on a visit.

F. S. Labadie, Mrs. Margaret Goldthwait and R. C. Zaring motored to Nevada City Tuesday.

R. C. Zaring is suffering from an infected eye.

Mrs. William O. Grant returned Sunday from Oroville where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Rogers and family.

Miss Carmine Veck of Downieville passed through Tuesday enroute to Nevada City.

Miss Fay Murphy spent two weeks in Sacramento visiting her mother, Mrs. William Tippit.

Elzear Foley has entered U. C. at Berkeley for the coming term.

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H. F. Kinney, formerly of the Birchville section, was in Nevada City recently.

Ed Carey, who was injured at the Gaston mine recently, is making a good recovery.

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FORMER RESIDENT IS HONORED BY FRIENDS

The following clipping taken from the Norwalk Call of recent date tells of a former resident of this section, Mrs. Sarah Bremond, whose husband built and operated a hotel at Lake City during the Malakoff mine boom. Among Mrs. Bremond's schoolmates now in Nevada City are Mrs. M. Grimes and Miss Kittie Hurley. The clipping follows:

Thursday, July 18, some of Mrs. M. C. F. Vaunt Abbott's old time friends surprised her with a party to celebrate her 84th birthday. Two of the women. Mrs. R. E. Dolley of Seal Beach and Mrs. Minnie Thompson of Bellflower said that Mrs. Abbott was the first neighbor to call on them when they moved to California. Among those present was Mrs. Sarah Bremond of Norwalk.

Mrs. Bremond's husband is the son of the original Bremond that owned the first French hotel at Sacramento.

The most interesting entertainment of the afternoon was an exciting experience of each of the members present that happened to them in some of the days gone by.

Marea Clotilde Falicity Vaunt Abbott came to California in one of the boats owned by Vaunt and Bremond to the San Francisco bay in 1850. Vaunt and Bremond owned the first French Hotel of Sacramento. Mrs. Abbott came to Artesia, Los Angeles county, in 1875 where her home was on the road of the freight teams that went north from Anaheim Landing. She well remembers the sheep range where Long Beach now stands on the way to Portuguese fish camp, at a little place called San Pedro. Mrs. Abbott made a trip once every week to Los Angeles with butter and eggs, when Third Street was out of town. The Turner and Lambourn firms were the biggest stores in the city and they worked as many as four men on Saturday afternoons. When Los Angeles went to putting such unheard of things as cobble stones in the streets for those poor horses to walk on it was time to hunt other streets. You could ride a whole mile in a street car pulled by a horse. The only railroad entering Los Angeles at that time was the Southern Pacific.

Mrs. Abbott had to pass one house between Artesia and Anaheim, a distance of ten miles, and if you could not speak German it required time for trading. The town of Anahiem took up most of a two block space and Artesia was a two room school house, the starter of all small towns at that time and an artesian well for a sheep range. The city of Norwalk was composed of a depot, general store of one man capacity, a saloon and a blacksmith shop. Santa Ana at that time was in Los Angeles county.

She raised a family of six and now has two sons living. Fred, who is her care at the present, came home after his father passed away about twenty yers ago, and Frank a married son is living in Samoa in northern California. Mrs. Abbott's half brother, Mr. C. G. Bremond lives in the community at the present time.

For age plus the life she has been forced to live she is a phenomenal character.

William Holm is at Catalina Island spending his vacation.

E. C. Phelan motored up from Los Angeles to take his mother, Mrs. Nellie Phelan and aunt, Mrs. Mary O'Connor, on a vacation along the coast that will take them as far as Los Angeles.

Mrs. Cove Celio and two children Katherine and Cove, Jr., are home from a few weeks spent in the bay region and at the Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Uren, who have been in San Francisoc for two months, spent a few days in Nevada City before returning to that city where he has been employed by a big mining company in map making.

COURT HOUSE RECORDS

Deeds

W. A. Doctor to Dorothy Bosanko—reconveyance of trust premises on por. Lot 3 Block 15 Grass Valley.

Dorothy M. Bosanko to Adrian W. Storz—same as above.

Francis G. A. H. Bergman to Margaret Scholz et al—por. Sec. 15, T16N R9E.

Mary J. Dunston to Albert Dunston—Lot 17 Block 42 Grass Valley.

Walter D. Littleton to Kate Mae Littleton—Lots 36 Sec. 15 T14N R8E.

Frank Clark to Ray Clark—und. ½ int. Lots 2 3 Block 33, Nevada City.

Ann Stacy to John G. Stacy—Lot 7 Block 14 South Grass Valley.

Frank L. George et ux to Empire Star Mines Co., Ltd.—min. right to Lot 6 Block 10, Grass Valley.

Lillie M. Beer to Charles Russell Cartmel—SE¼ NW¼ Sec. 30 T17N R10E.

Lillie M. Beer to Charles Russell Cartmel—NE¼ SW¼ Sec. 30 T17N R10E.

William A. Simpkins to Joy Baird Simpkins—por. Sec. 24 T16N R8E.

P. R. Sheaff et ux to Richard W. W. Kerr et ux—Lots 54 60 Block 15 North San Juan.

Herbert C. Black to Sabatino Marchi—NE¼ E½NW¼ Sec. 23, E¼SE¼ Sec. 14 T16N R7E.

Lottie May Durfey to Nancy B. Vomberg—Lot 4, Block 20 Lakeview Sub. Donner Lake.

Sheriff Nevaad Co. et al to J. E. Taylorp por. NE¼NE¼, SE¼NE¼ Sec. 32 T16N R7E.

Register of Actions

3241pEstate Charles M. Woolsey—Lila M. Champion petitioner. Nilon, Hennessy & Kelly attorneys.

3242—Estate Wm. C. D. Body—Mark Body petitioner. Nilon Hennessy & Kelly, attorneys.

TYLER JOTTINGS

CHEROKEE, Aug. 24, (Special to The Nugget)—Forest fires seem to be very bad in this part of the county just now, have a fire most every day. The Marysville auto stage brought over a large crowd of men Saturday night to fight the fire that was raging near oClumbia Hill.

Joe Swazey and George Lewis of Cherokee were business visitors in Nevada City Monday evening.

Mrs. C. Cox of Nevada City was visiting her daughter, Mrs. K. J. Phelan, of Cherokee.

Mr. and Mrs. John Culver of French Corral were visiting in Cherokee Monday.

E. Meyer of Oakland was a visitor here one day last week.

Thomas Bigelow was a business visitor in Nevada City Monday.

Darrell Moody of Nevada City is visiting his mother, Mrs. H. Meyer of Cherokee. Mr. Moody just returned fom San Francisco.

Jim Coughlin took a truck load of fir efighters back to Nevada City Monday, the fire being all out.

K. J. Phelan made a trip to Nevada City Tuesday.

Miss Helen Berry will go to Grass Valley Tuesday where she will enter high school.

The autos were quite busy here Thursday evening, fire truck, auto stages, all going to try and keep the forest fire out of the forest reserve above Columbia Hill.

Mrs. J. Phelan and mother were business visitors in....Nevada City and Grass Valley Saturday.

Jack Phelan was a visitor in San Juan Friday.

Quite a few men from around here were out fighting fire Thursday night to keep it away from the Siberia mine.

Mr. C. Salmon of the Parnall mine was a business visitor in Nevada City Thursday.

V. C. N. G. R. R. COMPANY TIME TABLE AND RATES

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Trains leave Nevada City at 5:20 a. m., Grass Valley 5:40 a. m., arriving at San Francisco 1:30 p. m.

Trains leave Nevada City at 10:00 a. m., Grass Valley 10:25 a. m., making direct connection with S. P. train No. 19, arriving at San Francisco 5:30 p. m.

Train leaves Nevada City at 3 p. m., Grass Valley at 3:25 p. m. making direct connection with S. P. train No. 20, leaving San Francisco at 11 a. m., enabling passengers to arrive at Grass Valley 6:10 p. m. Also direct connection for Reno and points east.

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It has been announced here by H. M. Cooper, manager of the Drum Division, that an appropriation of $10,077.00 has been made for the reconstruction of electric feeder lines between Main Street and the old Traction Car barns. The lines between the car barns and the Pittsburg Mine will also be reconstructed in order ot serve the 430 additional horsepower for the American Foundation Company. This reconstruction is made necessary due to the existing heavy mining load and anticipated development of this section.

Mr. and Mrs. William Treglown have had as guests, Mrs. Al Crowen and dughter, Helen, and Miss Helen Norman, all of San Francisco.

Tony Costa of Nevada City has been taken back to a Grass Valley hospital to receive care for the injury he received while employed at the Idaho-Maryland mine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ivey have had as guests, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Duncan of South San Francisco.

Miss Ellen Berry spent the summer months at North San Juan.

Carl Gill of Oakland is visiting relatives in Grass Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gill spent several days in San Francisco recently.

Charles Maginnis spent several days visiting in San Francisco.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Number 3233

In the matter of the Estate of JAMES KELLER, Deceased.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada.

NOTICE IS HERBEY GIVEN by the undersigned LILA M. CHAMPION, as administratrix of the estate of JAMES KELLER, deceased to the Creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice to the said administratrix at the law offices of Nilon, Hennessy & Kelly, 127 Mill Street, Grass Valley, Nevada County, California, the same being her place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said James Keller, Deceased.

Dated July 20th, 1929.

LILA M. CHAMPION,
Administratrix of the Estate of James Keller, Deceased.

NLON, HENNESSY & KELLY,
Attorneys for Administratrix.

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STAGE TIMETABLE

Graniteville Stage leaves Nevada City at 7 a. m., for Lake City North Bloomfield, Moores Flat, and Graniteville. Leaves Graniteville at 7 a. m., for Nevada City.

Alleghany Stage leaves Nevada City daily, except Sunday at 1:00 p. m., for Tyler, Columbia Hill, Alleghany and Forest. Leaves Forest at 6:30 a. m., for Nevada City.

Marysville Auto Stage leaves at 8.00 a. m., for Rough and Ready, Smartsville, Hammonton and Marysville. Leaves Marysville at 1:00 p. m. Connects at Smartsville for North San Juan.

Downieville Auto Stage leaves Nevada City daily at 1 p. m, arLeaves Downieville daily at 6 a. m., arriving in Nevada City in time to connect with 10:30 train for San Francisco.

Washington Stage leaves Nevada City at 6:30 a. m., for Washington Leaves Washington at 6:30 a. m. for Nevada City.

PROMOTION BOAD DINNER

President H. W. Robinson of the Promotion Board announces that a get-together dinner will be held this Tuesday night at the Bret Harte Inn in conjunction with the meeting of the Lions Club in order to formally intrudce William Durbrow, the new manager of the irrigation district. President Eben Smart of the Lions Club will preside at the meeting The dnned is open to the general public.

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CHARLES WOOLSEY PASSES

Charles Woolsey, mining man of the Graniteville section, passed away in a Grass Valley hospital last week following a hernia operation. The operation had been resorted to in the hope of saving his life. The remains were taken in charge by the Holmes Funeral Home and were shipped to Long Beach where they were interred in the family plot beside those of his wife. Mining and stock raising were the occupations of Mr. Woolsey.

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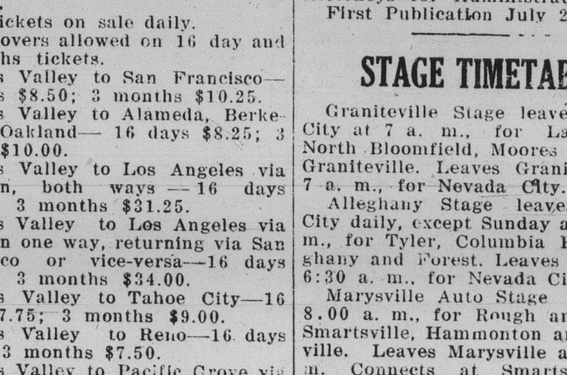

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GRASS VALLEY PERSONALS

Miss Rachael Penrose, who is with the P. G. & E. Company in Nevada City, is filling the position of Miss Minnie Fraser, of the Grass Valley office, while the latter is at Lake Tahoe for a two week's vacation.

Mrs. Nellie Michell and grandson, Frank W. Michell, spent several weeks in San Francisco.

William Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Harris has entered business college at Sacramento.

Miss Elizabeth Rogers has as a guest her sister-in-law, Mrs. Thomas Rogers of San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hooper, Jr., are spending their vacation in the bay cities.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Shirkey were in Sacramento last week. He attended the convention of optometrists while there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Curnow have as guests, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Zimmerman of San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Miller are spending a short vacation in the bay region.

Mrs. John Phillips of Berkeley spent a few days visiting in Grass Valley.

Mrs. Kitty Clemo has been sent as a delegate to the conventions of the Great Pocahontas in Oakland and San Francisco.

Miss Velma Meltz and John Bertino of Marysville visited friends in Grass Valley Sunday.

Miss Georgie Donnelly has as guests, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moynough of San Francico.

Miss Elizabeth Lucas accompanied Mr. and Mrs. A. Gill to San Francisco recently and will visit for a time.

E. W. Rowe and Charles Oliver spent a few days fishing in the upper lake country.

Lester Wiseman came down from the Brush Creek mine and visited for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Heppner have as guests, Mr. and Mrs. John Fox of Arizona, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Eldred of Sacramento.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Prisk, Sr., ae home from a visit at Alameda and Sacramento.

Mrs. M. E. Eldredge is here from San Francisco with Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Eldredge for a short time. Mrs. Eldredge is the mother of Dudley Eldredge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Earl Taylor and Miss Sibyl Taylor spent a few days in San Francisco. They met Miss Marian Taylor who had taken a summer course at Columbia University in company with Miss Nadine Tupper.

Miss Aileen Hocking is home from a visit in San Francisco with relatives.

C. H. Barker and Richard Gates spent a few days on a fishing trip at Lake Faucherie.

J. H. Weyel has as guests, Miss Charlotte Weyel of San Francisco and Mr. and Mrs. Elias Dart and baby ofMarysville.

Russell Whiting of San Rafael visited William Whiting of Grass Valley over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Sims attended the theater in Sacramenot recently.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Wales and son of San Francisco are spending their vacation at the James Retreat.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bowden and daughter, of Oakland passed thru Grass Valley enroute to Engles. Mrs. Bowden was fomerly Miss Bernice Bendorff.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Adams of Lodi were business visiotrs at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Snyden during last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keegan of Sacramento were recent visitors in Grass Valley.

Mrs. H. Campbell has as visitors, Mrs. H. W. Seims and Mrss. Wallace of San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. William Foote are visiting at Vallejo. Miss Maie Foote is visiting at Vallejo, San Francisco,and Redwood City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Whittet tave had as guests, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lombard of Sacramento.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Leary and son are home from five weeks vacation spent at Santa Cruz and San Francisco.

J. S. Hennessy, city superintendent of schools, spent the summer in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wilson and son of Oakland visited relatives in Grass Valley recently.

Miss Dora Mitchell is home for a short vacation before returning to College of Pacific at Stockton. She has been in the high Sierra country in charge of the recreational department of the Stockton municipal camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Booth have had as visitors, Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson of Turlock. Miss Juanita Booth visited in Turlock six weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. George Zembsch spent a week at Lake Tahoe.

M. J. Porter and family spent Sunday in Marysville.

Miss Ada Arthur visited in San Francisco recently.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Storz and son spent the week end at Lake Tahoe.

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A party composed of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Harris and children, Mrs. Cora Woods, and William Levec spent two week's vacation at Arroyo Grande near San Luis Obispo.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hocking visited in Oakland and San Francisco with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Mooser and Miss Alice Mooser are home from Lake Tahoe. Mrs. Mooser and daughter spent a few weeks while he wa there only over the week end.

Miss Clara Grimes of Oakland visited relatives in Grass Valley and Nevada City recently.

Mrs. Mary Bivens had as a visitor her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Bivens of Sacramento.

Charles Taylor and Micolm Hammill spent a day recently in Sacramento on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Whitburn and son, Bobbie, spent a week's vacation in Oakland.

Among those attending the funeral of the late Ann W. Stacey were, Bert Stacey and daughter, Lodema.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Larue and childen were called to San Luis Obispo a few days ago by the dangerous illness of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ball of Reno are here visiting as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Rust.

Mrs. William Hocking has as a visitor her sister, Mrs. George Azevedo of Sacramento.

Bayne Coe of Brentwood spent a few days recently with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Quick, and other relatives in Grass Valley.

Miss Claire Newport of San Francisco is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. K. Booth and family.

Mrs. Adelma Prisk King and daughter of southern Nevada spent a few weeks in Grass Valley visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Nile and children spent a week's vacation in the Redwood country.

E. H. Armstrong has returned from a few days spent in San Francisco on business.

Harold Hansen, who has been employed in the U. S. Forest Service near Sierraville, returned to Grass Valley recently and left for Sacramento to enter junior college.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Westbrook were recent visitors at Quincy and in the Feather river country.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Tyrrell were week end visitors in Bekeley.

Miss Adele Snyder returned from a two week's vacation in Reno.

Mrs. E. A. Bennetts is spending her vacation at Santa Cruz.

Mrs. Zadow has as a guest, Mrs. H. Taylor of Westwood.

Misses Bernice and Reba Argall were Sunday visitors in Sacramento.

Malcolm Watson spent a week's vacation in San Francisco.

Rev. E. O. Chapel and wife pent a few days in Oakland recently.

Earl Caddy spent the week end in Berkeley. Miss Ethel Caddy, who has been there for several weeks returned home with him.

C. A. HarrisS tfSaBUwSynud

Mrs. Ruby Hegarty of the Alpha Hardware company office staff is on a two weeks vacation.

Mrs. Ray George returned home from a visit in Scramento. She was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. W. Jewell, who spent the week end in Grass Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carr and children were recent business visitors in San Francico.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mitchell and dughter, Doris, of San Francisco are spending their vacation in Grass Valley.

Miss Mary Branson of Ely, Nevada, is visiting Miss Retha Downey in Smartville.

Mrs. Robert Ingam and sons, Robert and Peter, spent a week in Berkeley with her parents.

Mrs. Lillian Deward has as visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Davis of Oakland.

Tom Griffith attended a meeting of the Sacramento Valley Soccer League directors in Sacramento during last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan P. Donovan of San Francisco spent last week end in Grass Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rowe accompanied thei daughter, Winifred, to Berkeley where she will complete her last year. They visited in the bay region before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whiting are home from a visit in Colorado, Utah and southern United States.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Prisk and son, Leonard, are spending a vacation in the bay region.

Mrs. John Loutzenheiser and house guest, Miss Pauline Genesey, visited at Lake Tahoe for a short time.

J. J. Looser is home from a week's business trip to San Fancisco.

E. H. Thompson of Auburn is in charge of the Chain Groceteria, while the manager Tom Constantine is off on his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Constantine are spending a two weeks vacation in southern California.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvon Jones are spending a short vacation in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Graser and children spent a few days at Lake Tahoe.

Frank Neely of San Francisco was a recent visitor in Grass Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennetts spent a short vacation at Crescent City.

Miss Priscilla Fiori spent a week viiting in San Jose recently.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hartung are in San Francisco for a vacation.

Howard C. Bennetts spent market week in Oakland.

Frank Williams and wife spent a vacation in San Frncisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter P. King spent ome time in San Francisco.

M. J. Brock spent a few days in San Francisco on business recently.

Mrs. Sarah Mitchell is visiting relatives in Stockton.

Mrs. Simon Crase is in Santa Rosa visiting her son Ernest, and family.

Alonzo LeDuc is reported seriously ill at his home in Grass Valley.

FROM OUR READERS

FOOD FOR THOUGHT

The news columns tell us that the Federal Government has forwarded a check to the amount of $4,370,000. to aid in the payment of flood control assessments No's. 2, 6, and 7 and this will be increaed by similar amounts already appropiated by the State. This is a needed help to the land owners who have been burdened by these great obligations.

In another column, $9,000,000. is set aside for California Grape growers. This is as it should be also, for unless the grape grower receives aid the price of wine will soon be placed out of our reach.

It is to ponder how much will be appropriated to keep people from making wine, made possible by this $9,000,000. of aid.

These foregoing are absolute necessities to the farmer and are classified as aid. When the hydraulic miner asked for $200,000. to put him on his feet, that was paternalism.

It is not about time to inquire where our repesentatives are in the legislative halls and what ails their ability that their only aid to the hydraulic miner is pomises at election time?

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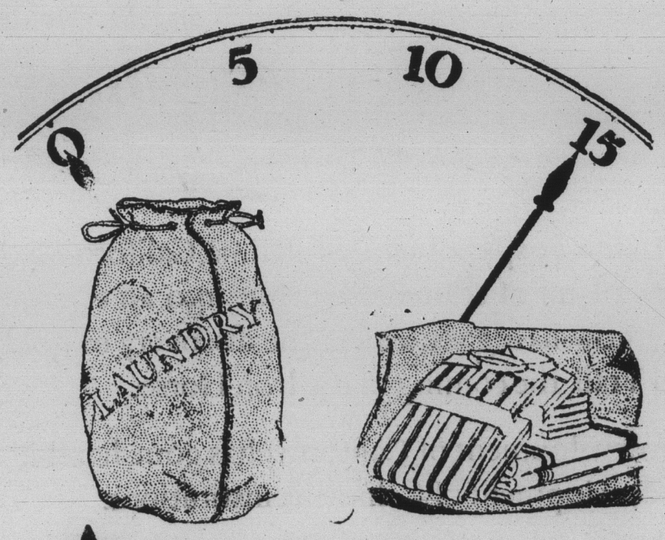

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Wallace Williams is able to be around on crutches. He injured his knee severely when it struck a revolving belt at a Placer county quartz mill.

Miss Gertrude Jones is home from a several week's visit with relatives in Santa Cruz.

Mesdames Louise and Neva Pianezzi had as visitors recently, Mr. and Mrs. J. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Ry Pianezzi, Mr. and Mrs. William Tippet, Joe Berette and Carl Murphy, all of Sacrmento.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Ronchi motored up fom Folsom last Sunday for a visit with Mrs. A. W. Hoge. Mr. Ronchi returned while his wife remained for a longer stay.

Henry Monroe of North Bloomfield visited in Nevada City last week.

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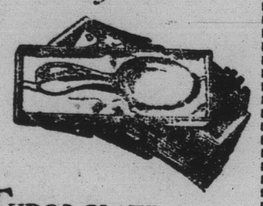

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SUNDAY and MONDAY—"Lovers". Comedy. MGM News.

Mrs. A. A. Willoughby, who was operated on at the University Hospital in San Francisco early last week will return home tomorrow. Dr. Henry H. Searls was the operating surgeon and the operation proved highly successful. Dr. Robert F. Werner, who had been in charge of the case recommended calling Dr Searls into consultation.

GOLDEN WEDDING WAS CELEBRATED BY ORZALLIS

The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Pietro Orzalli was quietly celebrated at the family home the past week. Owing to the serious illness of a relative in Oakland, the celebration was limited to a family dinner to which the immediate relatives were invited. Mr. and Mrs. Orzalli were married in St. Canice's Catholic church and have since made this section their home.

Mrs, Chapman, mother of Major Chapman, was moved to the home of her son last week. The Jefford ambulance was used to move her.

Mrs. Carrie A. Hampton and daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Smith, of Los Angeles were visiting old friends in Nevada City recently. They will spend some time at Lake Tahoe.

Donald Strandberg of San Francisco spent the week end in Nevada City with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Standberg. His friend, Walter Murphy accompanied him.

MESDAMES JEWETT AND DAVIS ARE HOSTESSES

Mesdames J. K. Davis and Jewett Adams were hostesses at a bridge luicheon at the National Hotel Thursday afternoon. Zinnias and sweet peas were used in decorations Prizes winner at bridge were Miss Ruth Grimes, and Mrs. E. W. Schmidt while Mrs. R. J. Bennetts carried off the mah jongg award. Mrs. R. Frederick Werner, who recently returned from Minneapolis to make her residence here was a guest.

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Mrs. Stephen Walsh and Mrs. H. L. Englebright attended the Great Council of the Poeahontas at Oakland, while Congressman Englebright attended the Great Council of Red Men, during last week.

Aaron A. Arbogast of San Francisco was a visitor to his old home in Nevada City last week. He was on his way to Reno.

Mrs. D. J. Coughlan and son, Carroll, are in the bay region. He will enter St. Mary's while she will remain for a week's visit.

Mrs. Anna C. Tucker had as visitors Sunday, her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Tucker and Frank Driscoll of Reno, Nevada.

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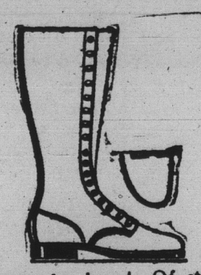

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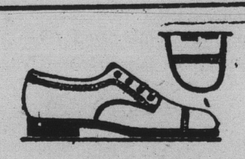

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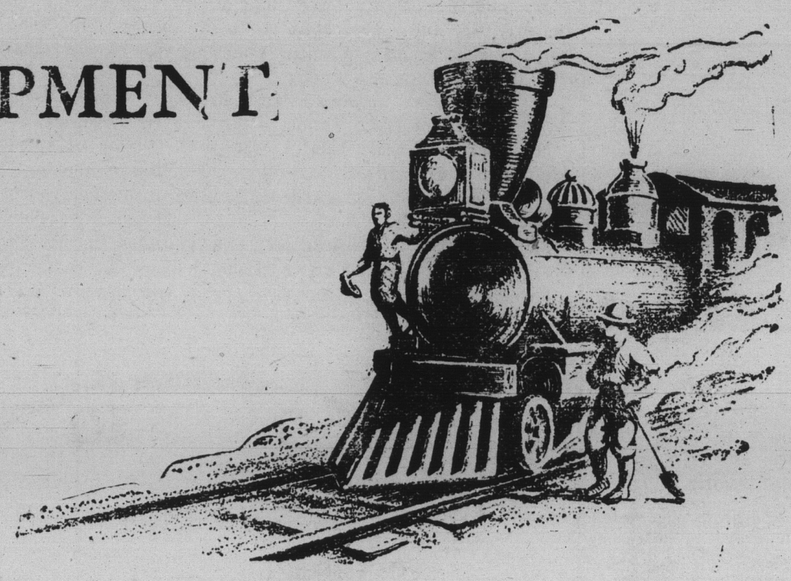

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